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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicant(s) : Osvaldo Luis Podhajcer
Serial No. : 09/340,595
Filed : June 28, 1999
For : COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR
TUMOR THERAPY
Examiner : Jane J. Zara
Art Unit : 1635
Confirmation No. : 4148
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P.O. Box 1450
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March 21, 2005

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of September 20, 2004, Applicants request that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

Applicants have filed concurrently herewith a Petition for a three (3) month extension of time along with the requisite fee extending the date for response to March 20, 2005.